

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

November 4, 2014



Sutter Bypass full of floodwater 01/1997

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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

Contingency Plan For Extreme Cold - Freeze Emergencies:

Extreme Cold - Freeze Phase I - Season readiness begins annually in November as the colder months approach; it is the preparedness activities and coordination that takes place prior to receiving a Special Weather Statement from the National Weather Service. Key State agencies should review their own procedures and resources to identify any gaps, issues, or problems.

The complete Extreme Cold - Freeze Contingency Plan is attached.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND MEDICAL (EF-8) SITUATION REPORT, as of 11/03/14:

- There are currently no suspected or confirmed cases of the Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) in California. At present, the situational assessment for the risk of EVD infection in California remains very low.
- As of October 31st, the World Health Organization has reported a cumulative total of 13,567 suspect, probable, and confirmed cases and 4,951 deaths.
- Current guidelines released by CDC are posted on the CDPH website available at: <http://cdph.ca.gov/programs/cder/Pages/Ebola.aspx>
- Guidelines for Emergency Medical Services (EMS) personnel: http://www.emsa.ca.gov/ebola_control

Summary of Updated Information:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has released three new documents on Ebola and posted on the CDPH website Ebola page.

- Ambulatory Care Evaluation of Patients with Possible Ebola Virus Disease (Ebola) [Here](#)
- Questions and Answers about CDC's Ebola Monitoring & Movement Guidance [Here](#)
- Infographic - How Ebola is Spread [Here](#)

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

A weak front will move across the region today accompanied by light rain mainly north of Cape Mendocino. A Pacific front will bring more light rain Thursday afternoon to the north.

San Francisco Weather:

Persistent high pressure over the state will result in dry weather conditions and above average temperatures through the upcoming weekend.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Dry and mild weather is expected through the week. Light showers may be possible over far northwest California today and Thursday.

Hanford Weather:

High pressure building over the forecast area will bring dry and mild conditions through the end of the week.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

High pressure aloft and breezy offshore winds will bring warm and dry conditions into Thursday with chilly nights in wind sheltered areas. The afternoon temperatures will be well above normal on Wednesday and Thursday, then should gradually decline to seasonal normal by Sunday as the offshore flow decreases.

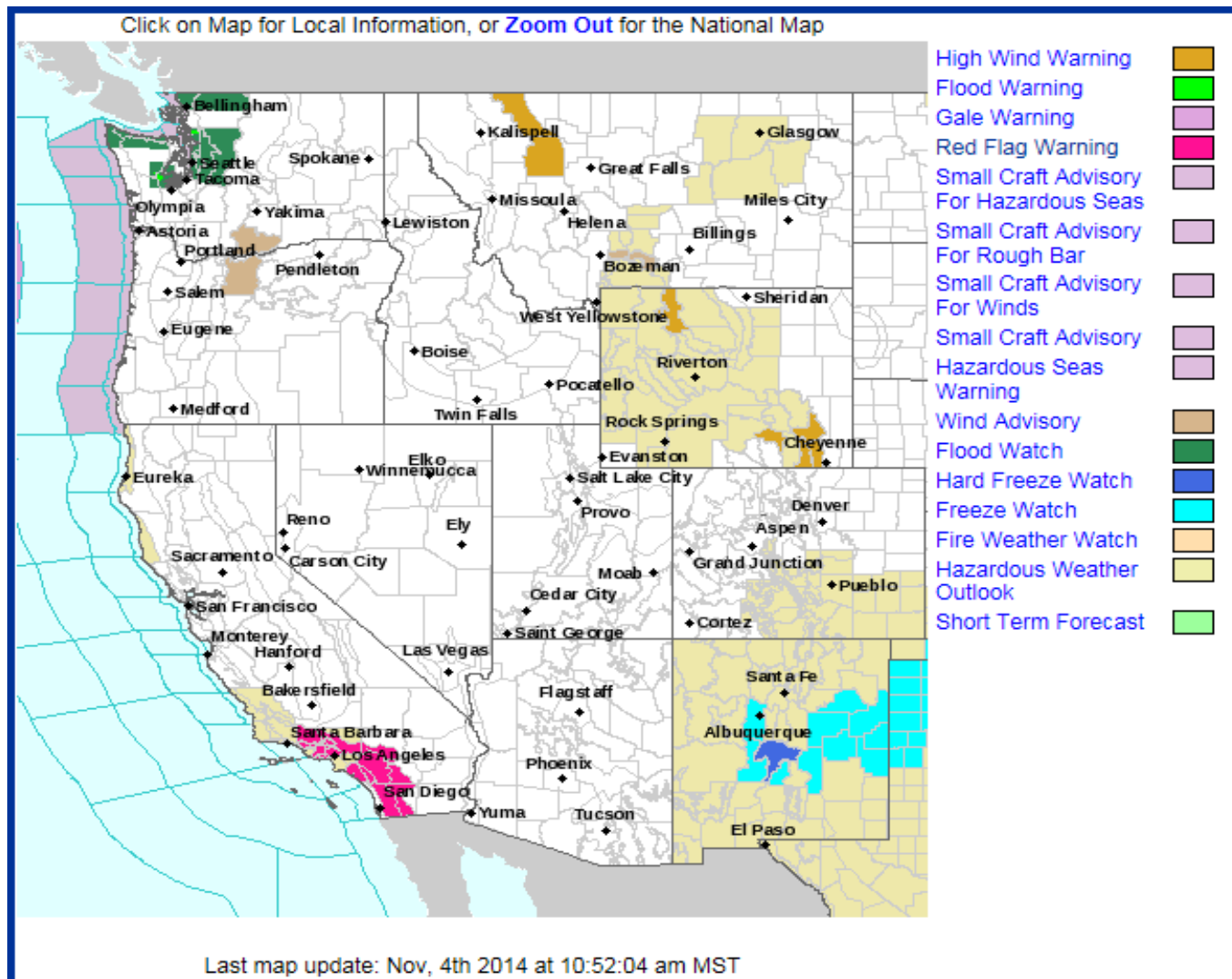
Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring periods of locally strong gusty northeast to east winds through Thursday morning near and along the coastal mountain slopes. Strengthening high pressure aloft will bring warming through Thursday. Winds will weaken for Friday and Saturday with slow cooling near the coast spreading slowly inland. Greater cooling and a return of night and morning coastal low clouds and fog is expected for early next week as a weak Pacific low pressure system moves toward California.

Southeast California Weather:

As low pressure exits the region today, strong high pressure will push in from the west. This will result in a warming trend through the rest of the work week under clear skies. High temperatures will be well above normal by the end of the week with highs reaching into the mid to upper 80s at most lower desert locations. These warm and dry conditions are expected to last into next week.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

Recovery Activities

- On 10/01/14, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) approved a disaster declaration making SBA assistance available in the primary County of Siskiyou and the contiguous counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Modoc, Shasta, and Trinity, making low-interest federal disaster loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations whose property was damaged or destroyed by the Boles Fire. The filing deadline to return applications for property damage is 12/01/14. The deadline to return economic injury applications is 07/01/15.
- On 10/06/14, the Governor issued Executive Order (EO) B-27-14, which provides CDAA, and debris removal assistance, including the suspension of rules and regulations impacting debris removal. The EO also provides the ability for nonprofit organizations to seek reimbursement for extraordinary activities through the State Private Nonprofit Organizations Assistance Program. The VAL is working with nonprofit organizations on seeking reimbursement.
- The Cal OES VAL continues to coordinate and participate in Long Term Recovery Group (LTRG) meetings with NGO, Faith Based, and local agencies. Shasta Community Foundation was identified as a fiscal agent for the group. Individuals needing assistance should be directed to the Family & Community Resource Center of Weed located at 260 Main Street, Weed. Funding organizations will assist with unmet needs through the case management process. [The VAL continues to work with the Weed LTRG in identifying resources and gaps in services.](#)
- [The VAL participated in a meeting with the CA Human Development agency and the Great Northern Services to discuss potential use of drought funding to assist fire survivors with rental and utility payments. Great Northern Services will work with the VAL to identify the need for assistance. If funding is approved, payments will be made directly to the landlord and or utility company. The rental and utility needs of residents affected by the Happy Camp fire will also be captured.](#)
- The College of the Siskiyou's website contains a Fire Resource List of various local agencies offering goods and services. The document can be found at <http://www.siskiyou.edu/humanresources/documents/fireresourcelist.pdf>. Additional information on recovery efforts can be found at <https://weed.recovers.org/>.
- Food donations are being accepted at 310 Boles Street.
- CalRecycle is beginning the process of contacting property owners for the removal of trees. Homeowners will be asked to sign a separate Disposition of Tree Agreement (DTA). No tree removal will begin on a property until the DTA is signed. Tree stumps will not be removed. Tree removal is slated to begin next week.
- On 10/28/14, the City of Weed reestablished water pressure to its downtown area; however, the water storage capacity for fire suppression is still lacking. The City expects water storage to be restored by 12/31/14, or sooner if the weather permits.

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Cal Recycle reports:

Air monitoring activities continue in the work area and surrounding community.

23,795.09 total tons of debris have been removed as of Day 26 of operations (445.23 tons of metal delivered for recycling; 7,827.83 tons of concrete delivered for recycling; and 15,522.03 tons of debris, ash and soil delivered for disposal)

The Numbers as of Day 26

- 133 Sites registered for the removal project (Right-of-Entry, includes library, community center and 2 churches).
- 12 Sites denied entry.
- 133 Sites documented.
- 133 Asbestos surveys completed.
- 65 Sites with asbestos containing material.
- 65 Sites cleared of asbestos containing material.
- 128 Debris removal completed.
- 115 Sites sampled.
- 22 Sample results approved.
- 0 Erosion control completed.
- 0 Approved by City of Weed as ready for a building permit.

Cal OES Deployments

- One (1) Cal OES Recovery staff is assigned.

RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

- Cal OES and FEMA announced that the Major Disaster declaration for the South Napa earthquake will also include the Individuals and Households Program under the Stafford Act. This amendment makes assistance available to help homeowners and renters recover from the earthquake.
- Low-interest federal disaster loans are now available to California residents and business owners as a result of President Obama's major disaster declaration. The declaration covers Napa and Solano counties as a result of the South Napa Earthquake and aftershocks that occurred August 24 – September 7, 2014.

Recovery Activities

- The deadline for Cal OES to submit the Request for Public Assistance of potential applicants to be considered for reimbursement for this event ended, 10/24/14. Fifty-nine (59) RPAs were received and nine (9) were withdrawn for a total of fifty (50) RPAs submitted to FEMA. Thirty-One (31) Kickoff Meetings have been completed.
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) continues NGO coordination in Solano County. The Vallejo Earthquake Recovery Group (VERG), a long term recovery group, has formed and has established by-laws and elected an Executive Board. [United Methodist Committee on Relief \(UMCOR\) will provide case management training to local organizations. A representative from the Solano Community Action Partnership will contact individuals who visited the Solano Information Center to notify them of the opening of the Disaster Recovery Center \(DRC\).](#)
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). On October 29, 2014, FEMA and SBA provided representatives in the Napa LAC. [On October 30, 2014, the Disaster Recovery Center in the City of Vallejo opened. The LAC and DRC are open until further notice.](#)
- [The California Small Business Development Centers \(SBDCs\) have partnered with SBA and are providing services at no charge to assist small businesses impacted by the disaster with financial counseling, management and technical assistance, business planning, reconstructing damaged or destroyed business records, rewriting business plans, etc.](#)



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC and REOCs are activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday through Friday, from 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.

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County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	8/4/2014	Tentative: First week of November
Glenn	10/8/2014	10/29/2014
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	8/27/2014	10/15/2014
Madera	7/29/2014	TBD
Merced	8/14/2014	11/13/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	10/29/2014
Placer	8/15/2014	TBD
Plumas	10/6/2014	TBD After 1/20/2015
Sacramento	8/14/2014	TBD
San Joaquin	10/15/2014	11/19/2014
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	9/18/2014	12/4/2014
Sutter	10/6/2014	11/13/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	10/13/2014	11/10/2014
Tuolumne	10/8/2014	12/11/2014
Yolo	9/4/2014	11/6/2014
Coastal Region		
Hoopa Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	11/19/2014
Humboldt	10/8/2014	11/5/2014
Lake	10/2/2014	TBD
Sherwood Valley Tribe	3/24/2014	11/1/2014
Mendocino	9/18/2014	10/30/2014
Monterey	10/8/2014	12/2/2014 tentative
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Francisco	8/11/2014	TBD
San Mateo	8/27/2014	TBD
Yurok Tribe	10/6/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Imperial County	8/14/2014	TBD
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	8/20/2014	9/24/2014
Santa Barbara	8/20/2014	10/8/2014





Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.